(*d*) were there instances of danger to human life on account of the locking up of more persons than can be possibly be put in, in any of the Sub-Jails ?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar *(Secretary to Government):*
(*a*) There are seven Sub-Jails in the State.

(*b*)

Sub-Jails		*No. of persons who can be conveniently locked up*
1. Mattancheri	..	16
2. Ernakulam	..	60
3. Cranganur	..	8
4. Irinjalakkuda	..	12
5. Trichur	..	24
6. Vadakkancheri	..	11
7. Chittur	..	9

(*c*) Yes; there were a few occasions in Irinjalakkuda and Chittur.

(*d*) No.

Mr. Puthur Achyuta Menon *(Kattur):* With reference to answer to (*c*), may I know whether the Government consider to do something to remedy this evil in future?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar *(Secretary to Government):* Yes. In fact, one of the resolutions the hon'ble member is moving in this Council relates to that. I shall explain the whole position when it comes up for discussion.

PUDUKAD CINEMA CASE—PERSONS CHARGED—PARTICULARS REGARDING

71. Mr. Puthur Achyuta Menon *(Kattur):* Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) how many persons were charged in the Pudukad Cinema Case;

(*b*) how many were taken on bail;

(*c*) how many were kept under custody in the Sub-Jail;

(*d*) how many under custody died during the pendency of the case in the Mukundapuram Magistrate's Court;

(*e*) for how many persons there is room in the Irinjalakkuda Sub-Jail?

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Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar *(Secretary to Government):*
(*a*) 34, of whom 28 were brought to trial.
(*b*) Nineteen.
(*c*) Nine.
(*d*) One person died in the Hospital at Irinjalakkuda.
(*e*) Twelve.

Mr. Puthur Achyuta Menon *(Kattur):* May I know whether this person was on the verge of death when he was taken to hospital?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar *(Secretary to Government):* The information is that he was suffering from dysentery and he was treated in the hospital. He died of heart failure while he was in the hospital.

Mr. Puthur Achyuta Menon *(Kattur):* Has the Government enquired as to how many days before the death he was taken to hospital?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar *(Secretary to Government):* The sub-jail is being visited by the local Doctor daily.

Mr. A. B. Salem *(Mattancheri):* Was there any charge of overcrowding in the sub-jail?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar *(Secretary to Government):* No.

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മിസ്റ്റർ സി. ആർ. ഇയ്യുണ്ണി: അതെ.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. പി. കണ്ണൻനായർ: നിശ്ചയമില്ല.

SALARY—PRINCIPAL, MAHARAJA'S COLLEGE

72. Mr. V. K. Bhaskara Menon *(Cranganur):* Will the Government be pleased to state.—
(*a*) whether the Principal of the Maharaja's College, Ernakulam, is drawing pay from the Naval Department; and
(*b*) if the answer is in the affirmative, will the Government state whether the amount drawn by him from the State has been proportionately reduced?

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